

present influence and opinion, nor are they so likely to be persecuted for honest criticism of a person long dead.

"Thou hast seen a farmer's dog bark

strates, who is certain about worlds
and being, of which he has no evi-

were worn, and hindered their education and advancement whenever and

That is, he used all the power he could wield over his millions of dupes.

that he can't do for old Skinny—try
the fat out of me.

Sor letters

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Last night I read Sunday's Blade to one of our wealthy citizens, and he was so impressed with it. He laughed at several of Mr. Moore's comments and remarked, "That paper is all right." I asked him to subscribe, and he said he would. I then asked him if he knew of others, and he gave me the names below. Want? That easy? Enclosed find money order for \$2.50 for club, all kinds of success.—LULA M. GIBSON.

Clinton, Iowa—I need hardly say that I saw your billydo in the Blade this week, because, as soon as I got the paper, I never let go till I have read every word in it. Now as regards Dog Fennel, I was satisfied after reading behind the bars that the price was too low. From memory, it seems to me that when you first began to advertise Dog Fennel, I sent Mr. Moore \$2 for two copies, and shortly after three dollars more for another three copies. If your book shows otherwise, let me know, and I'll remit. Instead of five dollars, I'll send three or four, and use the balance to help out. And besides, if you will send me all the books you have, I will send it in Clinton and Lyons, I will see that they all reach subscribers in safety. A. A. MORRIS.

And now friends and fellow singers, All you Blue Grass Blade readers, wake up! We could all do more than we do, if we would only try. Let me illustrate. About four years ago we had in our town a very good man, a Presbyterian Sunday school teacher, and with whom, inside of a year, I had got pretty well acquainted. One day, in conversation with a friend one day I learned that my drugstore acquaintance about two years ago had made what is called a visit to the Holy Land. So it occurred to me that I would like a little amusement at his expense. Having several of Mr. Tenney's Holy Smoke on hand, I took one and went to his home one evening, and after a few common place remarks said "By the way, Mr. Sturges, I understand you have been to Jerusalem?" He said "Yes," I said, "I got a pamphlet written by an American about what he saw on a trip to that country. I would like to have you read it at your leisure, and let me know how it compares with what you saw." He said "All right." His attention being called to it, he took it, and as I went to get away he looked back into the pamphlet. I kept away from him for about two months, but one day in passing he hailed me to come in. Now, think I, I go home to get the pamphlet, but I thought, "What a good thing it will be, with this letter, so I went in. I looked him over and he looked at his eye. After talking a little, he said, "O, by the way, the last time you were here, you said you were in the Holy Smoke in the Holy Land. Will you sell it?" I said, "O, no, I mean it as a present, I have no more." He said, "Well, I would like to keep it, but I do not want it for nothing." "You smoke?" I told him "No," he said, "Let me do you up a nice box of candles." He took a box and handed it to me with the remark that although the style of the pamphlet might be objectionable, it was, in my opinion, was brimful with truth. By that time it began to dawn on me that the joke had turned the other way. Mr. Sturges is now in Des Moines.—J. A. GREENHILL.

Covington, Ky.—I buy the Blade as a news stand. It would be the making of the news companies, making it returnable so that it would be no loss to them to read it, and will increase its sales. I will send you my dollar for Dog Fennel in a week, and I would like to subscribe for the Blade Magazine and become a member of the National Liberal Party. I want to see the Congress in Lexington but it was too cold. I am going to try to start a Liberal Club here in Covington, and will help the Blade all I can. I will get a few of that 10,000.—WILLIAM JONES.

Arlington, Ill.—Enclosed find draft for one dollar and sixteen cents to pay for one copy of your book, Dog Fennel in the Orient and postage on same. I am going to live to the age of 150 years and I want you to stay with the Blade for that long at least.—G. N. FRABURY.

Macy, Texas—I cannot stay in silence any longer. Your appeal would reduce the dead if they were true and faithful. The howl weevil has ruined this country again. I have not paid my dues to the N. L. P. for three years in arrears, but for the Blade about seven months, but I can't send a cent and can't tell when I can. But it seems to me that the Blade is worth more than \$1 a year, or 50 cents on the club plan. It is a leader in the anti-slavery argument, and a paper attracts more notice when its price is two or three cents. I have taken the Blade three years, and have sent, up to date, \$1.75 to help one way and another, but this would not be much for one year according to the way we have to pay for other Liberal literature. I ought to be awfully good. I work for three preachers and two deacons for 12 or 17 years, and I have worked for a full-time of my life, and get there what little learning I have and full pay beside. If I had the money I would send him the Blade, for he deserves it. The Blade ought to go to all until you are better paid.—G. A. LINTOW.

Paris, Ky.—Enclosed find 20 cents for postage on Dog Fennel in the Orient which I hope soon to enjoy. I re-

ceive many letters containing postage for "Age of Reason" and "Faith Working Knowledge," and I send them to all who request them.—MRS. JEAN B. HARMON.

Duluth, Minn.—Please find enclosed \$1.20 for Dog Fennel in the Orient, subscribed for some months ago. I think every subscriber should pay the postage, as they will be getting more than they originally expected. I am a subscriber in this town.—MRS. ELA E. ARMSTRONG.

Chicago, Ill.—As I understand \$3 will give me credit for one year; that I may order any of the six sent to persons not now subscribers for 3 months and after that may change to different addresses.

Enclosed is \$3 for that purpose. I have a friend here, W. H. Maple, Secretary of the Chicago Ingersoll Memorial Society, with an office down there that I think would permit Dog Fennel to be stored there, and hand them out to subscribers, if they were sent to him by freight.

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Shelton Wash.—Enclosed find two dollars for which please send me a copy of your book Dog Fennel and send me my subscription to the Blade. I am sure the book will be the very best I have written on that subject as it is all true, and that is something that can't be said of any other book. I have written the so-called Holy Land. Wishing you and all of your friends to prosper in the life of usefulness and joy you I am as ever your friend.—ANTHONY O. NELSON.

Hyattsville, Md.—Enclosed find \$2.00 in payment for the two copies of Dog Fennel in the Orient for which I subscribed, and I am very glad if you will be good enough to send my copies as soon as may be, after the books are received. I am very glad to read the book. With best wishes, as ever, truly your friend.—C. QUINBERGER.

Mulhall, Okla.—Your stirring "Astrapha" has been a great help to me. It does not stir money out of my pocket—noting could do that but it does stir me to action.

I confess to being one of Wetstein's happy (?) moneyless band, broke but not without a confession. I just want to confess to you why I, for one, seem indignant for the Blade myself, so an reading a friend's—absolutely unable for the last two or three days, to read the paper—nervous exhaustion, caused overwork from slavery under the lash of a cruel master, and of human greed for wealth and lust for power.

What I wish to see advancement on all liberal lines I want to confess to. I believe the liberal idea is, to see the human race as a whole, and not just the individual. I believe it would do more good than all the other things that are being done. I believe it would do more good than all the other things that are being done. I believe it would do more good than all the other things that are being done.

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Kidd's Store, Ky.—Please find enclosed enough stamps to pay postage on your volume of Dog Fennel and that of some derelict. As it is intended to volunteer but issue of August anticipated me. I am poor as the proverbial church mouse—never a favorite of Providence or luck and chiefly regret impotently because of inability to aid worthier cause deserving needy as always disposed to diminish conviction that humanity is infernal selfishness. Last penny in pocket.—T. BOHON.

Versailles, Ky.—Please find enclosed a postal order for \$3.00 to pay for three copies of Dog Fennel in the Orient to be sent to the following subscribers on your list. With best wishes for you and your—JOSEPH PHINE K. HENRY.

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Look at the millions of his articles circulating and doing work.

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Denison, Ohio—If I were you I would drop the names of those who do not renew their subscriptions. If they want to read the Blade, let them pay for it.

Wapakoneta, Ohio—Enclosed please find the funds to pay for Dog Fennel. I, with many others, will be glad to pay for the Blade. I will be glad to pay for the Blade.

Salado, Ore.—I feel like one of the guilty ones who has been neglecting the honest duty that every man should do. I feel like one of the guilty ones who has been neglecting the honest duty that every man should do.

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Duncan, Ind. Ter.—I send you a clipping from the Blade, and I have a request that you send me a copy of the Blade. I have a request that you send me a copy of the Blade.

I am trying to get up a club. If every subscriber would send you as many copies of the Blade as they can, I have 25,000 subscribers. But I will not brag. I wish I could do more. I wish I could do more.

Hooversville, Pa.—Enclosed find money order for \$1.50 for Dog Fennel. You have not lost the Blade. You have not lost the Blade.

Orion, Ill.—I herewith send draft for one dollar, which send me one copy of Dog Fennel. I have great admiration and respect for all Liberal literature, and I have the greatest admiration and respect for the reputation of Robt. G. Ingersoll.

Frederick, Md.—I am pretty well for a man of my age, 87 years. I hope you and your dear wife are in good health. I now send you one dollar and twenty-five cents. The twenty-five cents is to pay postage on my Dog Fennel.

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Beville, Texas—I am in business here, and I have to go a little far among these Christ believers. I subscribed for the Blade a short time ago, but I did not get it. My attention is ready for the next number. I read it with pleasure, then read it and pass it around to my friends. It is worth what it costs. I like it the more, because I tried hard to be what they are, but I was not. I was not. I was not.

Have you read Dog Fennel in the Orient?